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In re Application of:

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For: TORCH OPERATABLE TO  
POSITION A FLOW CONTROL  
LEVER AT A PLURALITY OF  
LOCATIONS ON THE TORCH

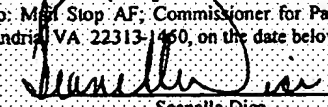
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE  
TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JUNE 8, 2006**

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed on June 8, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks.